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SOURCE:

- On 3 June 1953, Khraneksport, Sofia, accepted a \$920,000 wheat-wool-rubber triangular barter agreement with Egypt through Bulturg, the Bulgarian trade agency in Alexandria.
- Bulgaria will deliver to Egypt 10,000 long tons of wheat, 1952 crop, density
 79/80 kilos per hectoliter, humidity up to 13 percent impurities, 1.5 percent
 foreign matter, in bulk at \$93 per long ton f.o.b. Burgas.
- 3. In exchange Egypt will re-export to Bulgaria 450 tons of natural crude rubber at \$610.50 per ton c.i.f. Port Said and 132 tons of Australian Merino wool.
- 4. On 6 June 1953, Eksportin, Sofia, confirmed the barter agreement.

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